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TAGS: ETRD, EEC

SUBJECT: EC NEGOTIATIONS WITH PAKISTAN, BANGLADESH, SRI LANKA

REF: EC BRUSSELS 8054

1. THE EC COUNCIL OF FOREIGN MINISTERS MEETING

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ZING THE EC COMMISSION TO OPEN FORMAL NEGOTIATIONS  
WITH PAKISTAN, BANGLADESH AND SRI LANKA. THE AGREE-  
MENTS TO BE NEGOTIATED WILL BE TRADE COOPERATION

AGREEMENTS ALONG THE LINES OF THE ONE IN FORCE  
BETWEEN THE EC AND INDIA. EMPHASIS WILL BE ON THE  
COOPERATION ASPECT WITH JOINT COMMITTEES TO BE SET  
UP TO ASSIST THE THREE COUNTRIES IN FIELDS SUCH AS  
TRADE PROMOTION, INVESTMENT AND INDUSTRIAL COOPERA-  
TION.

2. COMMISSION SOURCES ARE HOPEFUL THAT THE NEGO-  
TIATIONS, TO BE CONDUCTED INDIVIDUALLY BETWEEN THE  
EC AND THE THREE, CAN BE OPENED IN BRUSSELS IN  
NOVEMBER. GREENWALD

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